



**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 09/977,552  
Filing Date: October 15, 2001  
Applicant: Hank Millet, et al.  
Group Art Unit: 3746  
Examiner: Charles G. Freay  
Title: COMPRESSOR CONTROL AND COMMUNICATION  
SYSTEM  
Attorney Docket: 0315-000487/DVA

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Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 23, 2007, and in conjunction with the Request for Continued Examination concurrently filed herewith, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

Applicants hereby petition under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for an extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action and includes a fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) with this response for such extension of time.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 11 of this paper.